RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **EXAMINING GROUP 1700**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on October 21, 2005. Please amend the aboveidentified application as follows.